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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 1951

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: SNAR BL

SUBJECT: NARCOTICS COOPERATION INITIATIVE: COCAINE
CONSPIRACY CASR

REFERENCE: STATE 194601

1. MINISTRY INTERIOR, THROUGH DNSP, HAS INFORMED EMBASSY THAT CONTINUED DETENTION OF CARLOS PEREIRA MONTENEGRO WITHOUT DOCUMENTED CHARGE COULD PRODUCE SERIOUS LEGAL COMPLICATIONS FOR THE GOB IN NEAR FUTURE AND DURING SUBSEQUENT LEGAL PHASES.

2. MINISTRY HAS COPY OF THE INDICTMENT, WHICH HAS NOT BEEN CERTIFIED AND IS NOT IN SPANISH, BUT THEY ALSO REQUIRE BACK UP MATERIAL SUCH AS COPY OF AN INVESTIGATIVE REPORT ON PEREIRA AND ONE STATEMENT IN WHICH HE IS NAMED. ALL DOCUMENTS SHOULD BE TRANSLATED INTO SPANISH. THIS WOULD SERVE AS BASIS FOR CONTINUED DETENTION BY DNSP AND SUBSEQUENT LEGAL ACTION. ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE CAN BE PRESENTED LATER.

3. PENDING RECEIPT OF MATERIAL REQUESTED PARA TWO, MINISTRY ASKED FOR OFFICIAL LETTER FROM EMBASSY REQUESTING DETENTION OF PEREIRA UNTIL DOCUMENTS SUPPORTING INDICTMENT ARE RECEIVED. UNLESS DEPT PERCEIVES OBJECTION, EMBASSY WILL SEND REQUESTED LETTER AT FIVE P.M.
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(2100 ZULU) AFTERNOON AUGUST 13 TO FORESTALL RELEASE OF

PEREIRA.

4. RECOMMEND THAT TEAM INCLUDE A COMPETENT LEGAL
TRANSLATOR TO FACILITATE COORDINATION WITH GOB
OFFICIALS.

5. ACTION REQUESTED:

A. SEND EMBASSY ANY MATERIAL WHICH CAN BE RELEASED TO
GOB AT THIS TIME TO BACK UP INDICTMENT ON CARLOS
PEREIRA MONTENEGRO AND ADVISE EMBASSY DATE AND MODE
OF DISPATCH.

B. ADVISE IMMEDIATE IF THERE IS ANY OBJECTION TO PROPOSED
EMBASSY LETTER.

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